

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5           The present invention relates, in  
general, to the use of synthetic peptides to  
induce tolerance to immunogenic peptides. In  
particular, the present invention relates to a  
method of inducing tolerance in a mammal to an  
10 immunogenic peptide or protein comprising  
administering to a mammal a synthetic toleragen  
comprising a hydrophobic peptide linked to the N-  
terminus or C-terminus of the immunogenic peptide  
or protein, under conditions such that the  
15 tolerance is induced.